

1. I wanted to inquire to see if this may move to the TACOM Omnibus instead of the open solicitation?
ACC-WRN does not intend to use the TACOM Omnibus program procurement of the HIPPOS and related supplies described in Request for Proposals (RFP) W56HZV-11-R-0171.

2. What is the minimum order the ACC is guarantee under this IDIQ?

According to paragraph A.2 and the Schedule of Supplies/Services on page 6 of the RFP, the minimum guaranteed quantity subject to purchase by the Government is six HIPPOs.

3. Under this solicitation, the US Army Contracting Command indicates it intends to procure an estimated quantity of 929 HIPPO via a FFP IDIQ.

Pursuant to paragraph A.2 and the Schedule of Supplies/Services on page 6 of the RFP, the maximum quantity subject to procurement under the contract to be awarded pursuant to the RFP is 851 HIPPOS.

4. I have a request for three things pertaining to the above solicitation.

- a. I am requesting a copy of ATPD 2206.

Instructions to obtain copies of this document can be found in section II of the ATPD 2319.

- b. Is there schematic for the wiring of the HIPPO available? I need to know what gauge cable is required to power the components off of a 24VDC

There are no wiring schematics available. Selection of the proper cable gauge should be within the offeror's knowledge.

- c. The US Army Drawing 11674728 for the Vehicle Receptacle Assembly, NATO Intervehicle Power can you provide me with a copy of it?

Instructions to obtain copies of this document can be found in section II of the ATPD2319.

5. We are interested in the specific applicable FARs, weighting of selection criteria and detailed requirements for this contract.

All requirements are set out in the solicitation and the attachments to the solicitation, including ATPD 2319, Revision D. The source selection criteria and the relative weight assigned to the evaluation factors to be used in the source selection are set out in Section M of the solicitation, including paragraphs M.1 through M.7.2

6. Pertaining to the Pre-Solicitation W56HZV11R0171, we would like to make a request in submitting our proposal for the Solicitation. In the submission area, we are requesting that proposal submissions be provided the opportunity of submitting a response in the CD/DVD Format. As this type of media submission provides the ability of maintaining the file continuity without separating

and losing control of the file information. As with other companies, our substantiating information includes full color brochures and marketing materials consuming large amounts of digital space (megabytes). When submitting information, this requires breaking files into multiple sections when submitting the individual volume containing the material. This transition process of files does not lend itself for accurate and authentication of submissions. There is no way to review the submission or authenticate the file submission.

Offerors must comply with the instructions for preparing and submitting offers in response to the solicitation contained in Clause A-1, captioned "Warren Electronic Contracting" (52.204-4016) and Section L of the solicitation, including paragraphs L.1 through L.6.6.

7. Will the government accept alternate/multiple proposals from one vendor for the Hippo buy?

No. Pursuant to paragraph L.2.8 of the solicitation, the Government will not consider alternate proposals submitted in response to this solicitation.

8. Will MFS be a Build-to-Print or design to a Purchase Description?

MFS-TRM is to be built to ATPD 2336, Revision E, a purchase description. Note: The Modular Fuel System (MFS) Tank Rack Modules (TRMs) are being procured pursuant to a separate RFP (RFP W56HZV-11-R-0301).

9. There is a Solicitation Number: W56HZV11R0193 already being advertised on the street. Is this the same solicitation that you are referencing for the "Modular Fuel System" as contained in the HIPPO?

No. The solicitation for the Modular Fuel System (MFS) Tank Rack Modules (TRM) is RFP W56HZV-11-R-0301 issued on 28 March 2012.

10. In the context of the Solicitation W56HZV-11-R-0171 for the Load Handling System Compatible Water Tank Rack (HIPPO), there is a paragraph ("A synopsis for this procurement will post at a later date.") that references the currently synopsized item for the "Modular Fuel System (MFS) Tank Rack Module (TRM) Production. Please confirm if this is the same solicitation that is referenced in the synopsis of the HIPPO. Or will there be another solicitation for the same item at a later date as referenced.

The Modular Fuel System (MFS) Tank Rack Modules (TRM) is being solicited under RFP W56HZV-11-R-0301 issued on 28 March 2012.

11. I'm trying to obtain a copy of the "Purchase Description ATPD 2319" and all of its revisions, as mentioned in the synopsis.

The ATPD 2319 has been posted on PROC Net and it is Attachment 0007 in Section J of the solicitation. ACC-WRN is making arrangements to post ATPD 2319, Revision C on PROC Net and will similarly post the previous versions of the purchase description if requested. Potential offerors should note that ATPD 2319, Revision D is a complete document that sets out all of the Government's technical requirements regarding the HIPPO to the exclusion of any prior version of the purchase description.

12. What are the specifications needed to be compatible with the HEMTT-LHS and PLS?
Purchase Description ATPD 2319, Revision D, contains the system requirements, including the compatibility requirements.
13. What is a good number to contact you?
In accordance with information provided on PROCNET, ASFI, and within the solicitation, please direct all queries to Cheryl Williams 586-282-7150, Cheryl.k.williams.civ@mail.mil
14. Will the government accept alternate/multiple proposals from one vendor for the Hippo buy?
No. Pursuant to paragraph L.2.8 of the solicitation, the Government will not consider alternate or multiple proposals submitted by one offeror in response to this solicitation.
15. Will MFS be a Build-to-Print or design to a Purchase Description?
MFS-TRM is to be built to ATPD 2336, Revision E, a purchase description. Note: The HIPPO and the MFS-TRM are separate systems that are being procured pursuant to separate solicitations.
16. Would it be of interest to the Army, if we were able to make the ISO water Tank where it has built in legs so the tank could be raised for gravity flow?
Purchase Description ATPD 2319 contains system requirements. Pursuant to paragraph M.1.1 of the solicitation, the Government will not assign credit to any aspect of a proposal that exceeds the minimum requirements for the end item as set out in ATPD 2319, Revision D.